

Yavapai College
District Governing Board
Budget Public Hearing

Tuesday, May 26, 2026
1:00 p.m.

The YouTube channel and Rock House will be open to the public at **12:45 p.m.** at the latest. All individuals attending the meeting in person will be allowed to bring clear bags ONLY into the meeting. In addition, the College has implemented advanced weapons detections systems/metal detectors for attendees. These requirements are similar for attendees at any sporting event or concert, and they are intended to ensure safety. Please plan accordingly.

Prescott Campus
Center for Learning and Innovation
Discovery Room
1100 E Sheldon Street
Prescott, AZ 86301

Livestream Link:
<https://www.youtube.com/user/YavapaiCollege>

Members' Present

Mr. Steve Bracety, Board Chair
Mr. Toby Payne, Board Secretary
Mr. William Kiel, Board Member
Mr. Patrick Kuykendall, Board Member (Participated via Zoom)
Ms. Deb McCasland, Board Member

Administration Present

Dr. Lisa Rhine, President
Attorney Jon Paladini, Board Attorney (Participated via Zoom)
Ms. Yvonne Sandoval, Executive Assistant (Participated via Zoom)
Ms. Kimberly Whitman, Secretary to the Board

MINUTES

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1. General Functions: Procedural
 - a. Call to Order {Time: 1}

This agenda item begins at: 16:00:01

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Board Chair Bracety called the meeting to order at 1:00pm. Board Chair Bracety then asked Board Member Kuykendall to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

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2. Board Business

- a. 2026-2027 Yavapai Community College District Proposed Budget Overview – Dr. Clint Ewell, Chief Operating Officer - **INFORMATION** (*Attached*) {Time: 15}

This agenda item begins at: 16:00:40

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Dr. Clint Ewell provided a Budget Overview to the District Governing Board. Dr. Ewell's presentation and the following discussion can be viewed at the link above.

- b. Public Comments - **INFORMATION** {Time: 25}

This agenda item begins at: 16:27:01

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No Open Call cards were submitted by members of the public. No public comments were received or made during the Budget Public Hearing.

3. Adjournment of Budget Public Hearing: Procedural - **DECISION** {Time: 1}

This agenda item begins at: 16:27:26

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Board Secretary Payne, seconded by Board Member Kiel, moved to adjourn the May 26th, 2026, Yavapai College District Governing Board Budget Public Hearing. The motion carried unanimously. (Ayes: Kuykendall, Kiel, Payne, McCasland, Bracety).

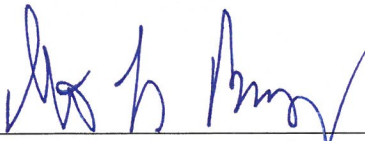
Respectfully Submitted,



Kimberly Whitman, Recording Secretary

6/30/26

Date



Mr. Steve Bracety, Board Chair



Mr. Toby Payne, Board Secretary

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